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10. [redacted] Received a call from Rady Johnson, Assistant to the Secretary of Defense (Legislative Affairs) and his Deputy, General James Lawrence, inquiring as to what action we were taking with respect to possible amendments to the Foreign Assistance bill as it was reported by the Foreign Relations Committee. I told them we had problems with a number of sections of the bill which were basic policy decision matters within the Administration and which we understood either Defense or State Department were "bird dogging." (I reviewed briefly with them the specific sections which gave us trouble as indicated in our spread sheet.) I added, however, that to avoid becoming involved in these policy matters and running up the backs of DOD and State in their efforts, we were restricting our work to the provisions of Section 405(b) of the bill concerning the responsibility of the State Department and other departments and agencies in providing the Foreign Relations and Foreign Affairs Committees with information. I told them of my meetings with Ed Braswell and Jim Woolsey, of the Senate Armed Services Committee staff, and Senator Stennis' agreement to introduce the amendment which we had suggested. They felt that our proposal would satisfy everyone's requirements quite satisfactorily.

General Lawrence mentioned that a meeting had been called in Clark MacGregor's office for 9:30 this morning and asked if we would be attending. I told him we had received word the LIG meeting had been canceled and had not been asked to attend any other meetings in the White House today.

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11. [redacted] Accompanied Messrs. [redacted] and [redacted] of OCI, to a briefing of Dorothy Fosdick and Charles Horner, of the staff of the Senate Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, on the situation in India and Pakistan. The meeting went well and seemed to satisfy their requirements completely.

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